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SCIENCE THEMES

Planet formation and protoplanetary disks

Planet evolution and debris disks

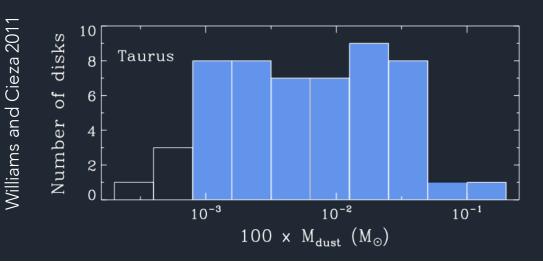
Exoplanet atmospheres and composition

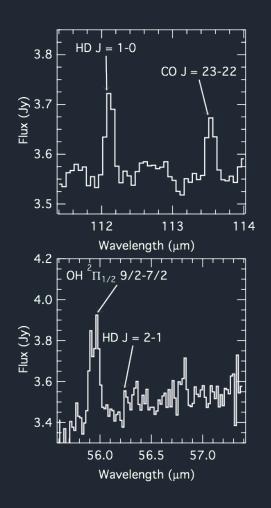
WHAT ARE PP DISK GAS MASSES?

- \rightarrow HD is a million times more emissive than H₂ at T \sim 20 K.
- → Atomic D/H ratio inside the local bubble is well characterized (~1.5 x 10⁻⁵)
- → HD will follow H₂ in the gas

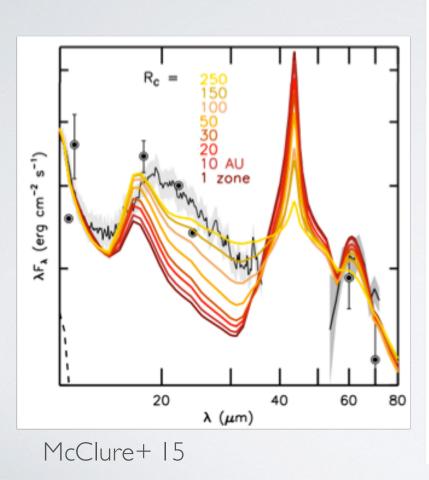
→TW Hya disk mass M_{disk} ~ 0.05 M_☉

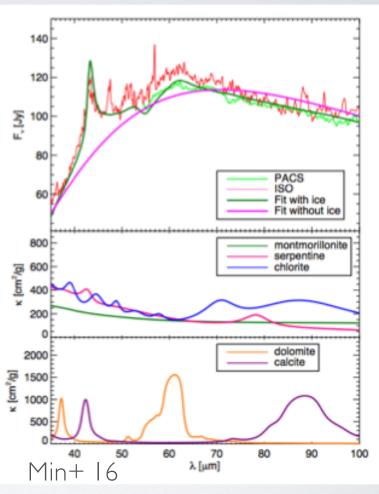
Bergin+ 2013



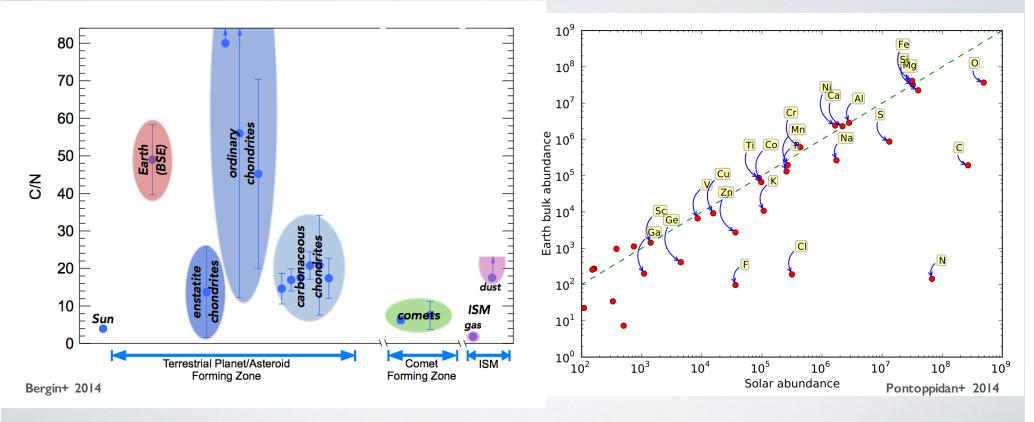


WHAT ARE PP DISK ICE MASSES?

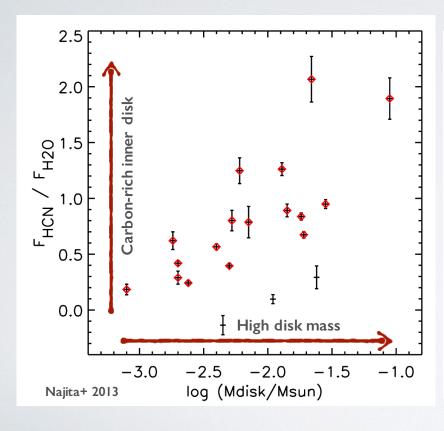


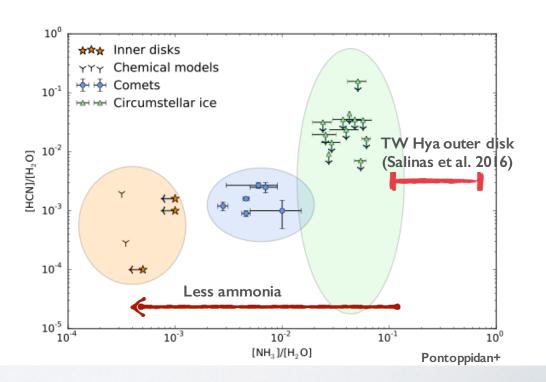


WHAT ARE THE VOLATILE RESERVOIRS OF PP DISKS? WHERE IS THE OXYGEN, CARBON, NITROGEN, FLUORINE, SULFUR, ...?

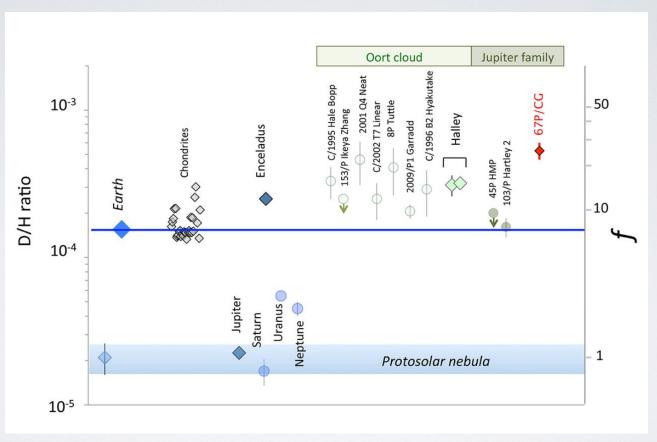


IS PLANET-FORMING CHEMISTRY INHERITED FROM THE ISM OR CREATED IN THE DISK?



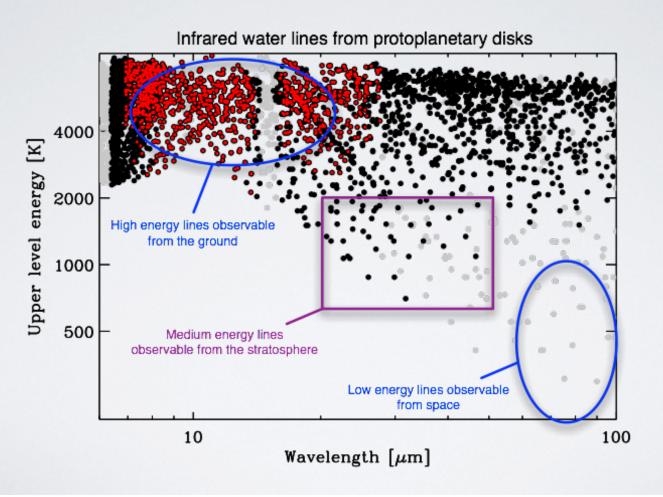


INHERITANCE OR RESET 2: D/H RATIOS IN DISKS

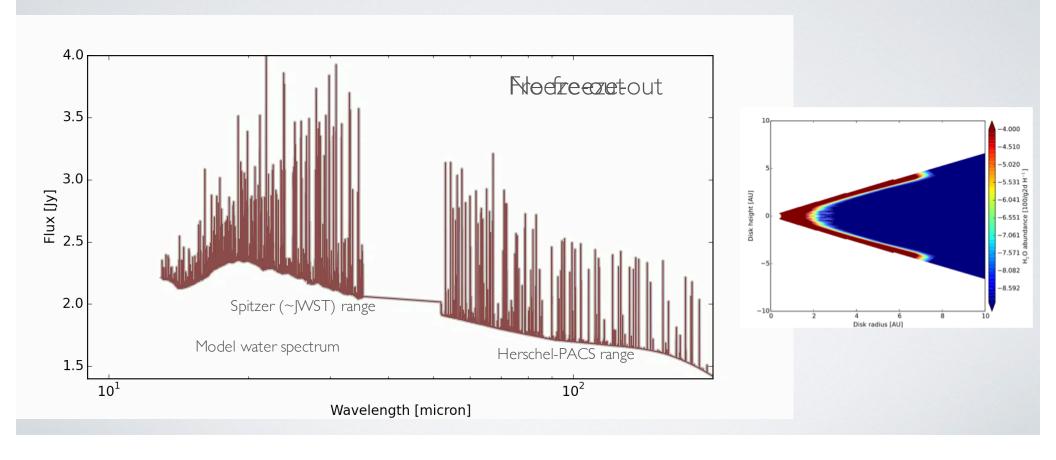


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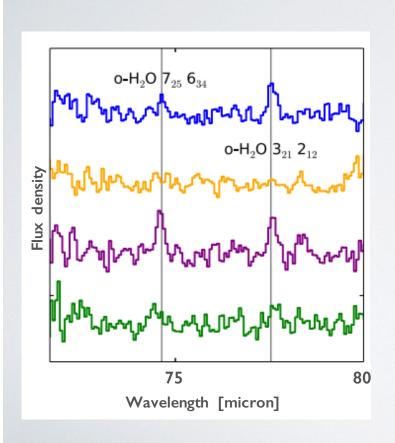
OBSERVABILITY OF WATER

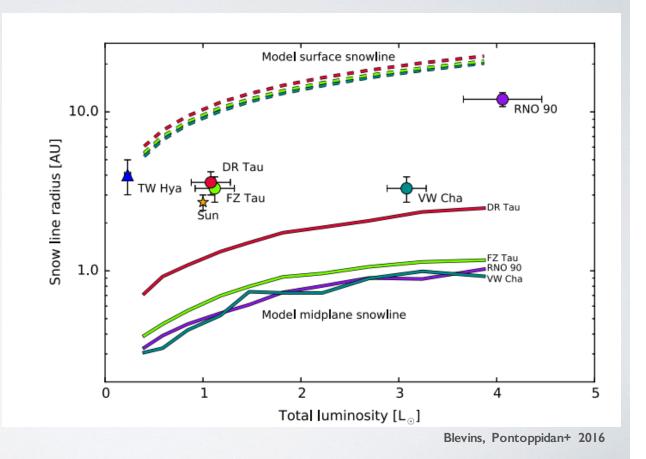


SPECTROSCOPIC EFFECTS OF A SNOW LINE



WHERE IS THE WATER SNOW LINE?

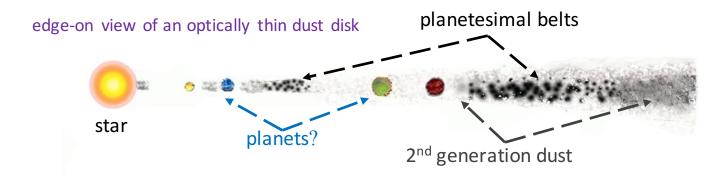




Debris Disk Science Theme

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Definition of Debris Disks

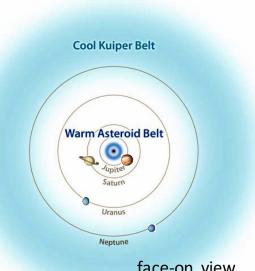


- dust replenished by collisions or cometary activity
- leftover ~km-size planetesimals that failed to form planets
- The large surface area of a dusty disk makes it readily observable in Infrared, and optical scattered light in favored conditions.
- The gravity of giant planets determines where leftover planetesimal belts can exist, stirs up collisions in the belts, and sculpts the dust distribution through resonant and secular interactions.

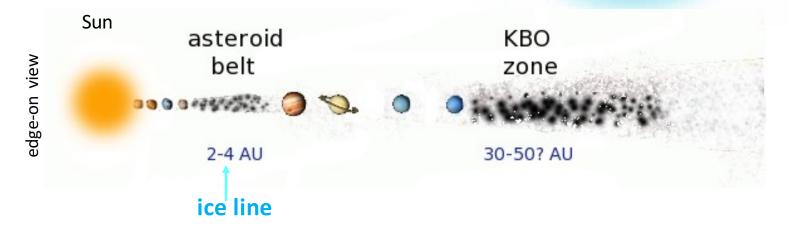
Solar System's Debris Disk

Two leftover planetesimal (parent-body) belts

Asteroid Belt (2-4 AU): km-size bodies its structure greatly influenced by Jupiter Kuiper Belt (30-50 AU): large icy bodies the inner edge maintained by Neptune

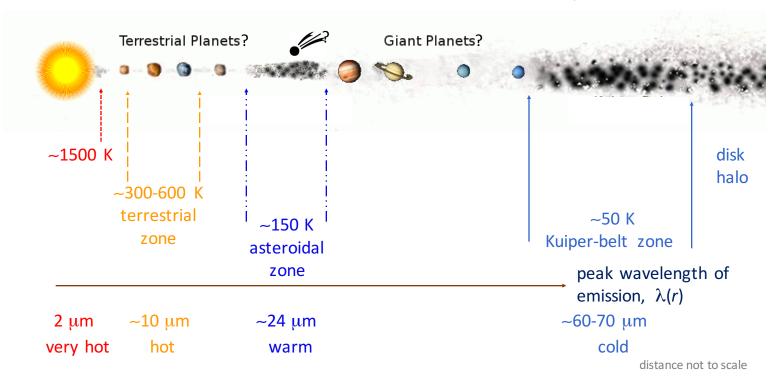


face-on view



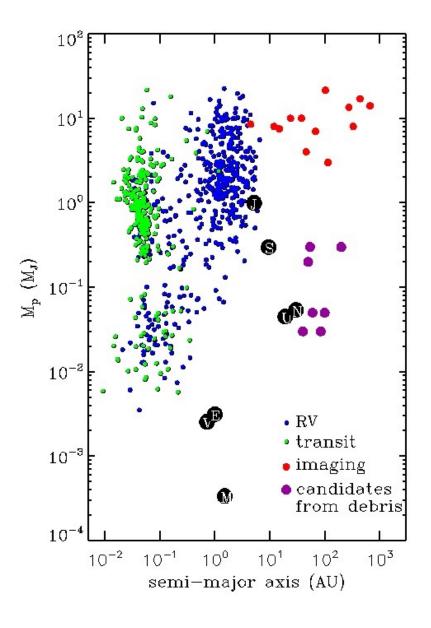
Five Zones of Debris Dust





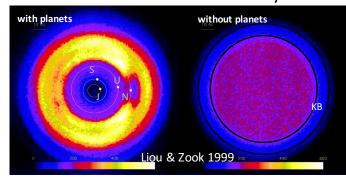
Signpost of Exoplanets

- Current search methods are strongly biased.
- Look for solar analogs that have giant planet at large radial distance. The existence of habitable terrestrial planets relies on gas giants remaining at large orbital radii.
- Planets inferred by debris disk structures are good analogs.

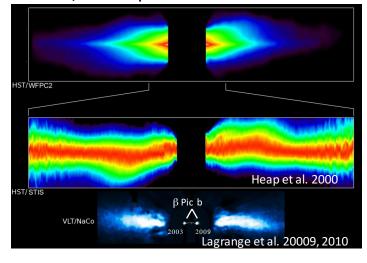


Planet-Disk Interaction - structures created by planet(s)

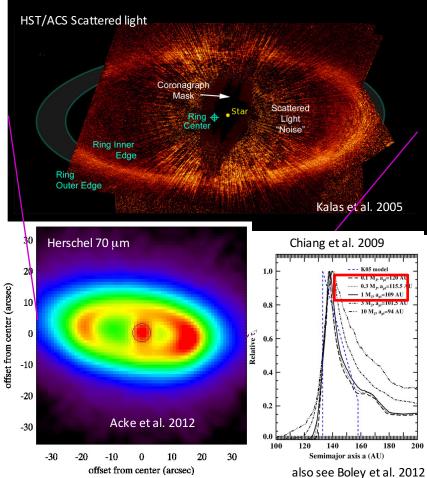
• Particle Distribution for Solar System



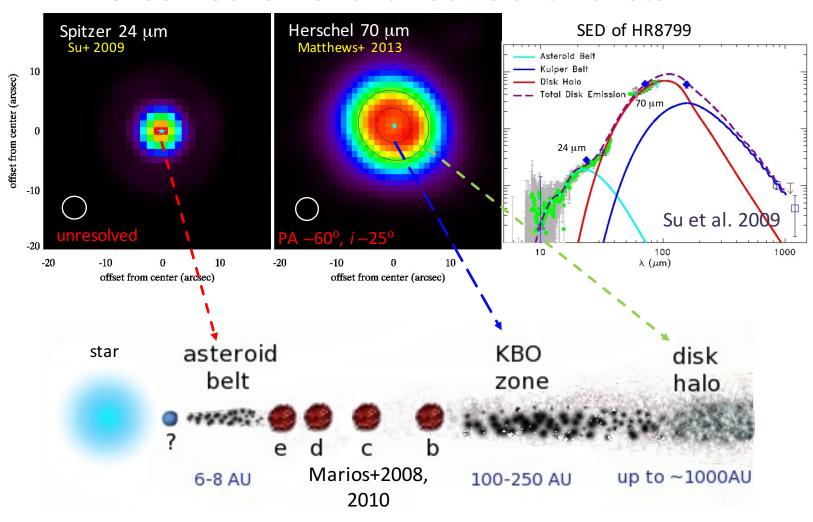
• Warp Disk $-\beta$ Pictoris



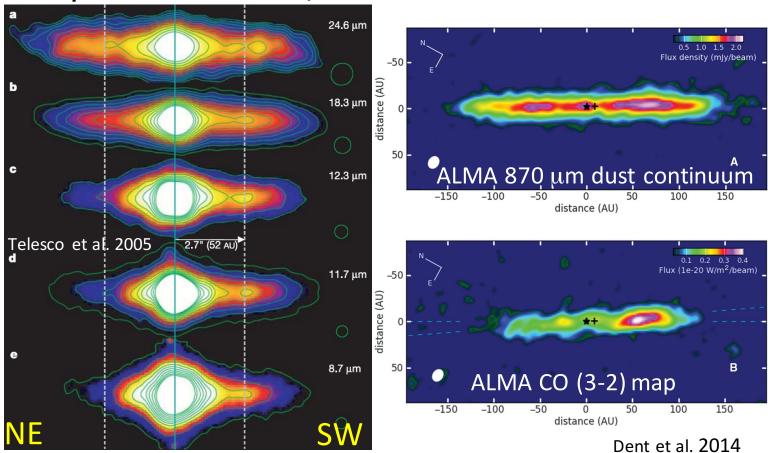
• Offset Narrow Ring – Fomalhaut



HR 8799 Debris Disk and Four Giant Planets

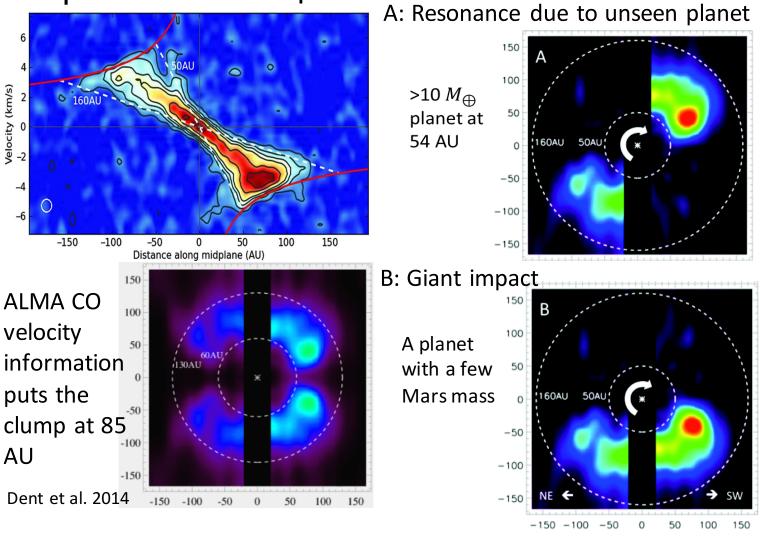


The β Pic Disk – clump

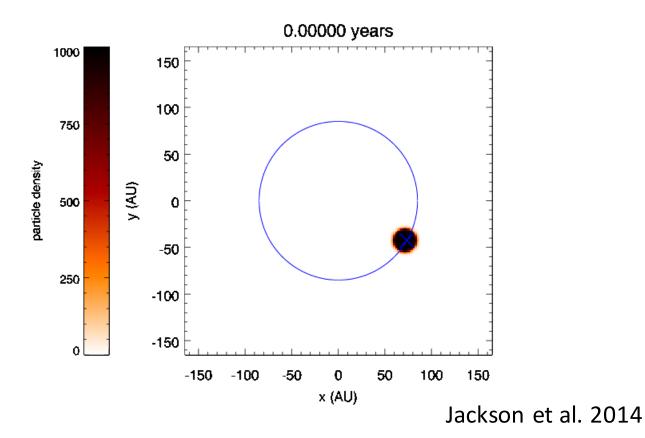


dust clump at 52 AU with $\,T_{d}{\sim}\,\,190$ K, $\,M_{d}\,{\sim}4x10^{20}\,g$

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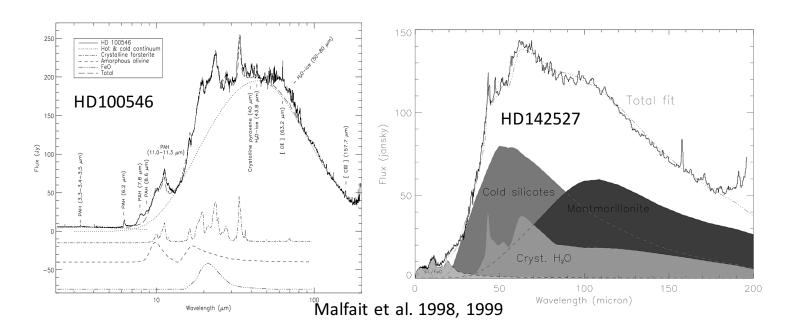
Debris Evolution due to Giant Impact



Far-Infrared Spectroscopy – Trace Material in the cold Zone

ISO – Long Wavelength Spectrometer (LWS)

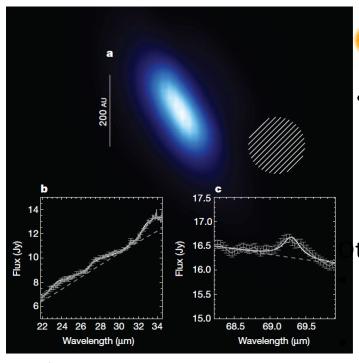
Herbig Ae/Be Stars: crystalline silicates, crystalline water ice, phyllosilicates No debris disks (~ 2 orders of mag. fainter)



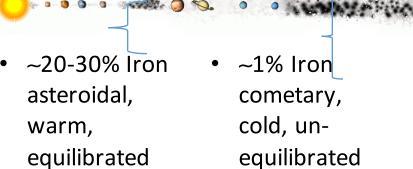
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Herschel – PACS spectroscopic mode

• 69 μ m low-iron Olivine feature (one debris disk: β Pic)



De Vries et al. 2012



ther solid-state features:

Olivine, Pyroxene: high temperature

formation/alteration

Calcite, Dolomite: low temperature, link

to water (life)

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IS THERE WEATHER AND CLIMATE ON EXOPLANETS?

Spitzer 24 micron phase curve of HD 189733b

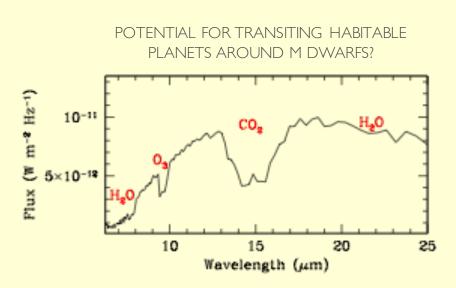
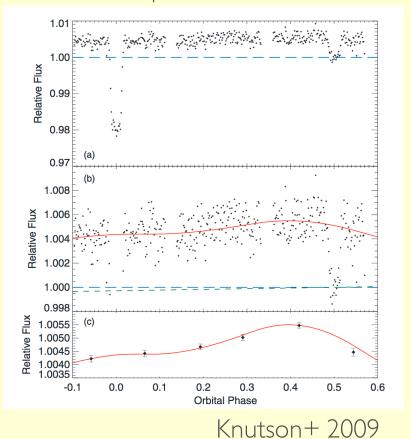
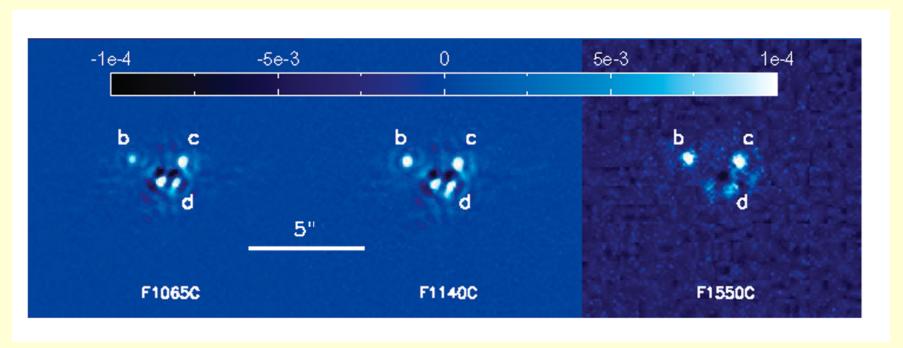


Fig. 9 Earth's mid-infrared spectrum as observed by Mars Global Surveyor enroute to Mars [59]. Major molecular absorption features are noted.



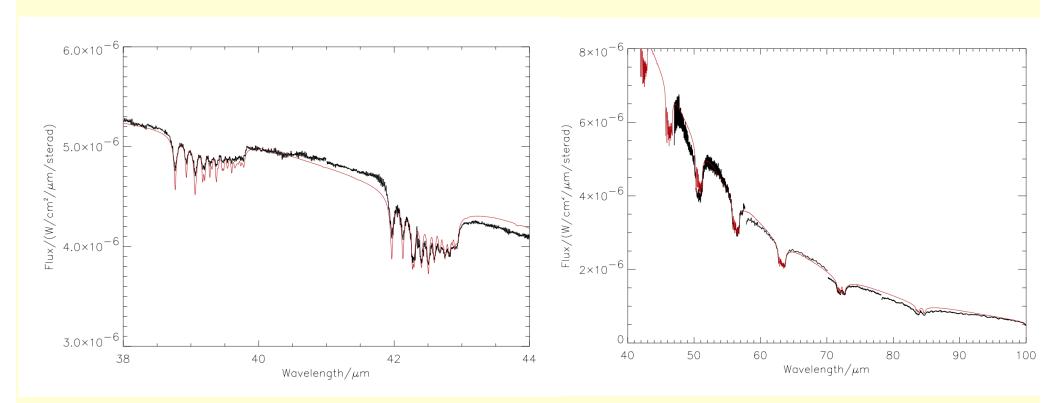
WHAT IS THE ATMOSPHERIC COMPOSITION OF COOL PLANETS?



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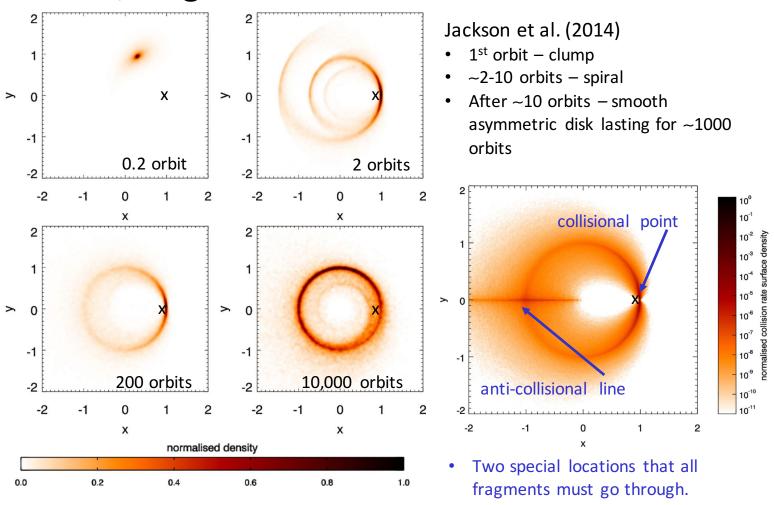
Simulated MIRI coronagraphy of HR 8799

WHAT IS THE ABUNDANCE OF NH3/PH3 IN EXOPLANETS? COMMONALITY WITH SOLAR SYSTEM JOVIANS?



EXTRAS/TECHNICAL

Debris/Fragments Evolution



SPATIAL REGIONS TRACED

